NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The proposed project has been reviewed for environmental impact by the Auburn Area Recreation and Park District and determined to have no significant effect on the environment that cannot be mitigated.

PROJECT TITLE: Auburn Area Recreation and Park District 24-Acre Park Master

Plan Project (Project)

LEAD AGENCY: Auburn Area Recreation and Park District (ARD)

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<u>PROJECT LOCATION</u>: The Project site is located on the west side of Richardson Drive in North Auburn, Placer County, California. The Project site is identified as Placer County Assessor's Parcel Number 51-211-016.

<u>PROJECT DESCRIPTION</u>: Park master plan to develop remainder of 24-acre site to include parking, central plaza with gathering and play areas, walking paths and fitness stations, dog park, turf area with bocce courts, picnic and shade facilities, splash pad and restrooms. Much of the park would remain in open space and no changes would occur to the wetland or NID canal.

<u>HEARING</u>: ARD's Board of Directors will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, June 8th, 2021, at 5:00 pm at the Canyon View Community Center, 471 Maidu Drive, Auburn, CA to consider adopting the Mitigated Negative Declaration.

<u>PUBLIC COMMENT</u>: Written comments on this document will be received from <u>April 28, 2021</u> through <u>May 27, 2021</u> and may be submitted via the lead agency address listed above or via email at kmuscott@auburnrec.com. A copy of the proposed Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for review at ARD offices at 471 Maidu Drive, Auburn, CA, or online at www.auburnrec.com. Persons interested in the project should attend the hearing at which comments will be accepted (an online meeting option will be provided).

4/27/2021

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